



Docket No.: 42390P10455

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

SANGITA R. SHARMA, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/817,830

Filed: March 26, 2001

For: **SERVER-BASED ADAPTATIONS OF  
ACOUSTIC MODELS FOR CLIENT-BASED  
SPEECH SYSTEMS TO IMPROVE  
RECOGNITION ACCURACY**

Art Group: 2655

Examiner: Hyuen X. Vo

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F. R. § 1.136(a), Applicants for the above-identified application respectfully Petition the Commissioner for a two (2) month extension of time, extending the period for response to August 02, 2006, from the Office Action dated February 04, 2004. The petition filing fee of \$450.00 and an Amendment and Response to Office Action are attached. (If a check is not attached, you are hereby authorized to charge deposit account no. 02-2666.)

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

Blakely, Sokoloff, Taylor & Zafman LLP

Eric T. King, Reg. No. 44,188

Date: July 19, 2006

12400 Wilshire Boulevard, 7th Floor  
Los Angeles, CA 90025  
Telephone: (714) 557-3800

07/25/2006 HTECKLU1 00000001 09817830

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING/TRANSMISSION**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Sylvia Gaston

07-19-06

Date